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care **NOT** KILLING

Dear supporters,

The current session of Parliament at Westminster will have ended in 4 or 5 weeks' time. Kim Leadbeater's Bill will fall at that point, and following the King's Speech on 13 May, there will be a Private Member's Bill ballot.

Leading assisted suicide advocates are [explicit about their strategy](#):

- They think **around 200 MPs** would enter the ballot and be willing to reintroduce the bill
- The bill committee (which was excessively skewed last time) could be 100% pro-legalisation, "so the committee stage would **only last a few hours**"
- If MPs pass the bill again, in its current form, they could then seek to **bypass the Lords entirely** using the Parliament Acts.

As the new session and its Private Member's Bill ballot near, **we need supporters like you to once again:**

- **send a letter** to your MP (House of Commons, London SW1A 0AA)
- or **send an email** to your MP (find their email address [here](#))
- or look up constituency surgeries and **make an appointment to meet** with your MP (check their websites or Facebook pages, or email or call [their office](#)).

What do MPs need to hear?

Bill either should not be reintroduced at all, or else should need to pass through *all* stages in *both* Houses before becoming law. ([2026 More in Common polling](#))

- The Parliament Acts have never been used for non-Government Bills like this and “assisted dying” was [not even](#) a manifesto commitment for any of the major parties.
 - 70% of those with an opinion believe “peers have every right to vote against non-government legislation if they consider that it poses a significant risk to vulnerable lives” (September 2025 [polling](#)).
- **The public want changes to the Bill.** The Parliament Acts could only be used if the Bill remains unchanged, but February 2026 Whitestone [polling](#) for CNK found:
 - 76% believe the law must explicitly prohibit cases where there is a suspicion the patient feels motivated by poverty, lack of care, or a feeling of being a “burden.”
 - 82% want a mandatory consultation with a palliative care specialist before any decision can be made.
 - 86% support additional protections for people with Down syndrome, autism, and learning disabilities.
 - 83% agree that a psychiatric assessment and an extended period of reflection must be mandatory for any patient showing a “suicidal reaction” to their diagnosis.
 - **The public say: sort palliative care FIRST.** 67% say “it is essential that high-quality hospice and/or palliative care is universally available before any assisted suicide laws are passed” (February 2026 Whitestone Insight [polling](#) for CNK).

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against or for the Bill previously—need to hear from constituents who oppose machinations to ram through deeply contentious law change with far reaching consequences.

We wish you and your families a Happy Easter.

Yours sincerely,



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